

## Problem 2 - Peberholm notes

### The Grid

- Grid size:  $n \times m$
- $n, m < 0$
- $n$  and  $m$  values are found at `PeberholmConstantsAndUtilities.H` and `W`
- Plants take up one grid space
- Plants can only be located in grid positions

### Plants

- Four kinds of plants:
  - trees
  - bushes
  - flowers
  - mosses
- Plants differ in:
  - how they look
  - how they spread seeds
  - $s$  and  $r$  values
- $s, r$  and color values are stored in `PeberholmConstantsAndUtilities.java`
  - $s$  value for bush object: `PeberholmConstantsAndUtilities.BUSH_SEED_NO`
  - $r$  value for bush object: `PeberholmConstantsAndUtilities.BUSH_RANGE`
  - color value for bush object: `PeberholmConstantsAndUtilities.BUSH_COLOR`

### Making new plants

In one step, one plant generates  $s$  new plants.

New plants are generated by adding random numbers between  $[-r; r]$  to the coordinates of the mother plant.

No plants can be generated in water. They die immediately.

The “seeds” that *do not* land in water, immediately become full-size  $1 \times 1$  plants.

```
public Plant[] spreadSeeds()
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Generating new plants should be handled in the plant’s `spreadSeeds()` method.

`spreadSeeds()` is called from `PeberhomSimulation.java`

`spreadSeeds()` returns an array of new plant objects. The new plant objects are added to the `ArrayList newPlants` in `PeberhomSimulation.java`

### **PeberholmSimulation.java**

This class runs the simulation, including all the graphics.

**PeberholmSimulation.java** handles planting and drawing in steps.

This class cannot be edited.

### **PeberholmConstantsAndUtilities.java**

Constants:

- Grid (“island”) size
- Total nr. of turns
- $s$ ,  $r$ , and color of plants
- **boolean SHOW**: controls whether graphics are on

Utilities (not v. useful stuff):

- A method to check whether a **Point** is on the “island”.
- A method to check whether coordinates **int x**, **int y** are on the “island”.
- A method to get a random position on the “island”.
- A random int generator method.

This class cannot be edited.

### **PeberholmDriver.java**

Contains the main method, just starts the simulation.

Also contains some weird shit about a mysterious Checker class.

This class cannot be edited.

### **Plant.java**

Is the parent class to the different plant sub-classes.

This class cannot be edited.