

CSE 11

Accelerated Intro to Programming

Discussion Section 5

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This discussion is being recorded

Logistics

- PA5 released yesterday, due Wednesday
- Exam THIS week!
- PA6 easier, PA7 hard.

just like programming assignments
Make a video

Be prepared
Come to us for help

Arrays

- An ordered sequence of values
 - (int, double, String, YourClass, array, ...)
- Syntax of creating an array:

```
int[] nums1 = { 4, 2, 7 }; → { contents } ;
```

```
int[] nums2 = {};
```

```
int[] nums3 = new int[5]; { 0, 0, 0, 0, 0 }
```

```
int[] nums4 = nums1; // Be careful!!!
```

```
String[] strs1 = {"Hello", "CSE11"};
```

- Array length:

```
int nums1Length = nums1.length;
```

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`strs1.length; // 2`

`strs1[0].length(); // 5`

Arrays cont'd

- Use index to access elements in an array:

```
int[] nums1 = { 4, 2, 7 }; // String[] nums1 = { "a", "b", "c" }
int firstElem = nums1[0]; // 4
int secondElem = nums1[1]; // 2
int thirdElem = nums1[2]; // 7
int fourthElem = nums1[3]; // Index 3 out of bounds for length 3
```

index starts with 0 !!!

- Modify elements in an array:

1. nums1[2] += 1; // nums1 becomes { 4, 2, 8 }
2. equivalent to nums1[2] = nums1[2] + 1;
3. incrementing nums1[2] by 1 3. nums1[2] ++;
nums1[2] = 8;

- Array length is fixed:

- Can modify elements, but cannot add/delete elements

• nums1 = { 4, 2, 7, 8 } // need to assign a different array

Main

- *class* public static void main(String[] args) { ... }

- You saw this in PA0.5

- Entry point to a Javaprogram

- javac DiscussionExamples.java → compiling
- java DiscussionExamples → running
- There needs to be a main method in the class DiscussionExamples

- args - an array of Strings (command line arguments)

- java DiscussionExamples some some arguments

args { "some", "some", "arguments" }

execute
the body
of main method

Loop Basics

- How to access elements in a very very long array?

- Loops

- For-loop

```
for (int i = 0; i < arr.length; i++) {  
    System.out.println(arr[i]);  
}
```

init statement

terminating condition

update step

loop body

- For-each loop

```
for (int element : arr) {  
    System.out.println(element);  
}
```

for each element in arr

- While loop

```
int i = 0;  
while (i < arr.length) {  
    System.out.println(arr[i]);  
    i++;  
}
```

condition



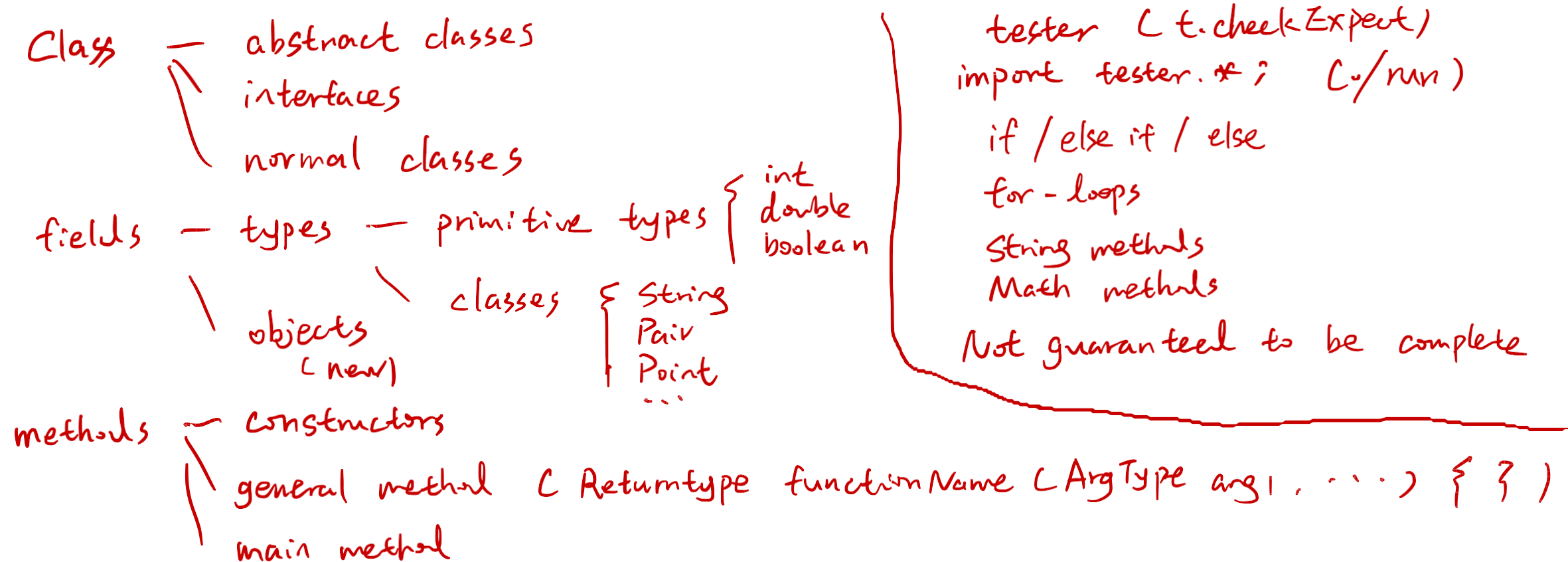
Quick Midterm Review...

Exam

Programming assignment: Coding + Video

Reserve enough time

Materials: Review lectures / readings / quizzes / PAs / discussions



Fields vs Member Variables

Fields = member variables = instance variable

Variables in functions are different! Local variables

Tester

```
import tester.*;

class Test1 {
    int method1() { . . . }
    // week1 - test as a single method to a field
    int field1 = this.method1();

    //wed of Week2
    boolean testMethod1(Tester t) {
        return t.checkExpects(this.method1(), 1);
    }
}
```

How it works:

- Method 1: observe output, see if it is what you expect
- Method 2: use a built-in method in Tester class to compare actual to expected value.

Testing

The point of testing is to break your program

Suppose I have a method `foo(n)` that adds 2 to your number
Would it be better to test `foo(2)`, `foo(3)`, `foo(4)`,...?

No! Try `foo(0)`, `foo(-100000)`, `foo(100000000)`, `foo("string")`, etc.

PA5

^{"a"} ^{"abc"}
Thanks!

"a".compareTo("abc") → negative

1 ↗ 2 → negative

1 2

