Experiment 5

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Aim: writing a Java program to calculate the sum of a list of integers using autoboxing and unboxing, along with methods to parse strings into their respective wrapper classes (e.g., Integer.parseInt()).

Objective: The objective of this Java program is to demonstrate the use of autoboxing and unboxing while performing operations on a list of integers.

Algorithm:

- 1. Create a List of Integers: Initialize a List<Integer> to hold the integers.
- 2. Autoboxing: Use autoboxing to convert primitive int values to Integer objects automatically when adding to the list.
- 3. Unboxing: Use unboxing to convert Integer objects back to int for sum calculation.
- 4. Parse Strings: Create a utility method to parse strings to integers using Integer.parseInt().
- 5. Calculate the Sum: Use a loop or Java 8 streams to calculate the sum of the list.

Code:

```
import java.util.*;
public class SumCalculator {
  public static Integer parseStringToInteger(String str) {
    try {
       return Integer.parseInt(str);
     } catch (NumberFormatException e) {
       System.out.println("Invalid number format: " + str);
       return null;
  }
  public static int calculateSum(List<Integer> numbers) {
     int sum = 0;
     for (Integer num: numbers) {
       if (num != null) {
          sum += num;
     return sum;
  }
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<String[]> testCases = new ArrayList<>();
    testCases.add(new String[]{"10", "20", "30", "40", "50"}); // Test Case 1
    testCases.add(new String[]{"100", "200", "300"}); // Test Case 2
    testCases.add(new String[]{"50", "invalid", "70"}); // Test Case 3
    for (int i = 0; i < testCases.size(); i++) {
       List<Integer> numbers = new ArrayList<>();
       System.out.println("Test Case " +(i + 1) + ":");
       for (String input : testCases.get(i)) {
         Integer parsedNumber = parseStringToInteger(input);
         if (parsedNumber != null) {
            numbers.add(parsedNumber);
         }
       }
       int sum = calculateSum(numbers);
       System.out.println("The sum of the list is: " + sum);
       System.out.println("----");
  }
}
```

Output:



Learning Outcomes:

- Understand autoboxing and unboxing in Java.
- Learn string-to-integer parsing with exception handling.
- Implement collections (List<Integer>) for data storage.
- Apply test cases for validation and debugging.