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Which Requirements Are Completed

Functional Requirement 1: The program must be able to create a deck of cards.

Functional Requirement 2: The program must be able to shuffle the deck

Functional Requirement 3: The program must be able to cut the deck.

Functional Requirement 4: The program must be able to move cards from the deck to the players and the boards.

Functional Requirement 5: The program must be able to calculate the player score. Also I calculated the PC score.

Functional Requirement 6: The program must be able to store a "high score list" on a file which stores top 10 scores and names of the players who scored them.

Functional Requirement 7: The program must be able to play for the computer

Extension: when all cards were played, I collected the cards in the middleCollectedCard array and sent it to the last winner(Mechanic Class). player Shuffle card how much they want(Cards class), how much you want. "J" loker collects all cards in the middle(Mechanic Class). ScoreList will open if you

I added a JOKER extension on 29th December so I wrote one more headline for it.

If your score is less than the computer, scoreList will not open.

You can see the project's history in GitHub ScreenShot.

- 1,2,3 are completed in Card Class
- 4,5,7,extension are completed in Mechanic Class
- 6 is completed in ScoreList

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Card Class

Declaration of Cards information and Creating 52 card

```
2 usages
public class Cards {
    1 usage
    private String[] cardsValue = {"2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9", "10", "A", "J", "Q", "K"};
    1 usage
    private String[] cardsShapes = {"♠", "♠", "♥", "♠"};
```

In this part, I define 2 private variables to store cards symbols and values.

```
1 usage
public String[] card52() {
    String[] card52 = new String[52];
    String combineValueShape;
    int indexCounter = 0;

    for (String shape : cardsShapes) {
        combineValueShape = shape + values;
        card52[indexCounter] = combineValueShape;
        indexCounter++;
    }
}

return card52;
}
```

I wrote the <u>card52</u> method for creating 52 cards. For creating 52 cards, first of all I have to define an array for store created cards. at the first line you can see this array declaration. Then I defined a string for the concatenate card symbol and its value.

Second part of the card52 method I have written a loop which turns <u>cardsShapese</u> elements in each execution. Current turned element name in the loop is <u>SHAPE</u>. I had to concatenate the shape of the card with 13 values, so I wrote one more loop which turns the card's value in each execution in the cardsShapes loop. Current turned element name in the <u>cardValue's</u> loop is <u>VALUES</u>.

- In the 2 loop, I concatenated **VALUE** and **SHAPE** in the <u>combinedValueShape</u> variable.
- I had to write an integer which counts how much loop execution happened. I used this counter to symbolize card52's all element indexes in order.
- I wrote an integer whose name is <u>indexCounter</u> then I increased this variable in each execution. (that means at the and of this process this counter will be 52)
- Lastly, I defined <u>combinedValueShape</u> to <u>card52[indexCounter]</u>, at the end of the 2 loop I returned card52.

Shuffle and Cut Card52

```
public String[] mix52Cards() {

Random arr = new Random(System.currentTimeMillis());
String[] deck52 = card52();
String steredOldVale;

for (int i = 0; i<2; i++){
    for (int index = 0; index < 52; index++) {
        int randomNumber = arr.nextInt(bound: 52);
        storedOldVale = deck52[index];
        deck52[index] = deck52[index];
        deck52[index] = deck52[index];
    deck52[randomNumber] = storedOldVale;
}
}
System.out.println("cards shuffled");

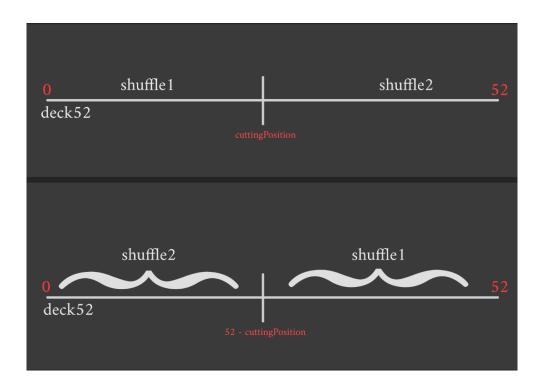
//cut the cards
    int cuttingPosition = arr.nextInt( omgine 10, bound: 30); //that random number 30 maks and 10 min that can customize String[] shuffle1 = new String[cuttingPosition];
String[] shuffle2 = new String[StrouttingPosition];
System.arraycopy(deck52, serDec 0, shuffle1, desiDec 0, length: 52-cuttingPosition);
System.arraycopy(deck52, serDec 0, deck52, desiDec 0, length: 52-cuttingPosition);
System.arraycopy(shuffle2, serDec 0, deck52, desiDec 0, length: 52-cuttingPosition);
System.arraycopy(shuffle1, serDec 0, deck52, de
```

I had written this function for souffle and cut the card52's elements. First of all, I had to find a solution for shuffling cards. My first idea was to create an empty array ,which has 52 empty null elements, then send card52 elements to this empty array randomly, but I couldn't do that, because I could not prevent copying cards and missing some cards. Then I found this solution. This solution is changing card52 array element position randomly.

- First of all, the random function had to implement in *mixed52Cards()* function.
- For shuffle cards I had to create a connection with card52 to take 52 cards information from the card52 function. To do that, I called the card52 function and I stored the returned array in the deck52 variable.
- For changing position of 2 elements, I should create the variable to store variables which will be lost while changing. This variable name is **storedOldValue**.
- Loop is written to start to change the element's position. This code is called 52 times. That number was not enough to shuffle, I noticed that while I was playing so I added one more loop to execute more than one.
- I defined <u>randomNumber</u> for defined second element index randomly.
- Then I defined *storedOldValue* to deck52[index].
- The deck52[index] changed with deck52[randomNumber].
- Now we stored *deck52*[index] old value in *storedOldValue*. Thanks to this, we defined *deck52*[randomNumber]=*storedOldValue*.

Till here I changed 52 card's positions randomly. Now, I will cut the deck from a random card.

Cut the card deck;



- For cutting cards, first I should declare a random variable whose name is cuttingPosition. Also I need 2 arrays which store [0, (cuttingPosition-1)th] and [cuttingPosition, 51th] index.
- Now I should divide 2 part the deck52 cards. These two array names are **SHUFFLE1** / **SHUFFLE2.** I assigned *suffle1* and *suffle2* with *arraycopy* function.
- Then I should assign the *suffle2* array to deck52 from the <u>0th</u> index. Then, I start to assign *Suffle1* from the last element index of *suffle2*.
- To explain the cutting code I <u>prepared a photo which is above</u>.
- At the end, I returned shuffled and cutted cards which are called deck 52.

Call Card Class in main:

```
public class Main {
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Cards Card = new Cards();
    String[] mixedCards = Card.mix52Cards();
```

Lastly, I linked the card class in the main, also I have stored *mixed52Cards()* returned value in *mixedCards* variable. I didn't mention why I sored. Shortly, I used this stored data *in Mechanics Class*.

Mechanics Class

First of all I want to explain the purpose of all these variables before starting to explain each function.

- playerScore: Store the player cards scores.
- computerScore: Store the computer cards scores.
- *preparationGameCardsDistribute*: While distributing cards to player and computer I used this variable.
- whoWinLast: For defining the last winner.
- mixed48Card:Stored 48 cards data. (52-4 = 48)
- *middleCollectedCard*: While we were playing games, I should store cards Which are played. I use this array to do that.
- *player4Card*: Player 4 cards stored here.
- computer4Card: Computer 4 cards stored here.

Constructor of Mechanic Class

```
public class Main {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      Cards Card = new Cards();
   String[] mixedCards = Card.mix52Cards();
   Mechanics Game = new Mechanics(mixedCards);
```

Thanks to the constructor function, I can take 52 mixed and cutted cards into the Mechanic Class. *mixedCardDeck52* is the key point of transporming cards to the Mechanic Class.

Then at the beginning of the game, I had to send 4 cards to the middle for just one time, thus I completed this requirement in the constructor function. After that, I should delete 4 cards from *mixedCardDeck52*. To do it I wrote a new array whose name is *mixed48Card* and mixedCardDeck52's 48 cards [4index,52index) copied to mixed48Cards array by arrayCopy function.

preperationGame Function

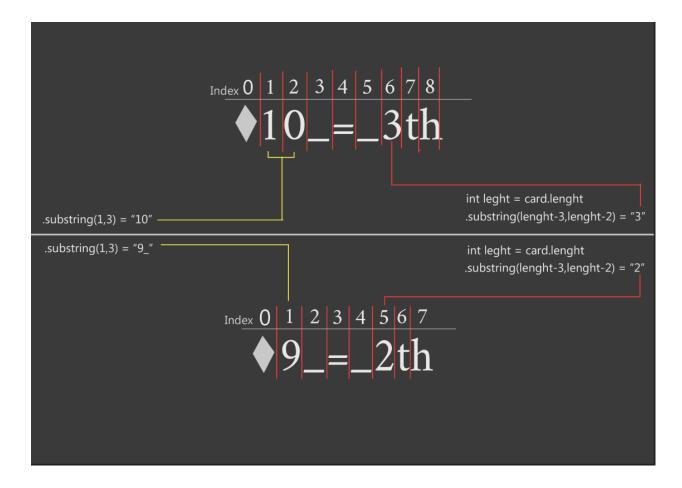
The Preparation method's mission is, send 4 cards to the player and computer each execution. Also this function has to be usable many times directly in the game process.

I wrote 2 loops which execute 4 times after the execution of the function. One of these loop's was written for assign 4 cards to player4Card, other was written for assign 4 card to Computer4Card.

Faced ERROR: Due to running 2 loops separately I should define an integer which counts how many times these loops are executed. According to this integer's value, I defined the index <u>number of mixed48Card's</u>. I forgot to mention the integer variable name, it's name is <u>preparationGameCardsDistribute</u>.

Fundamental step of checking point and selecting card to play: Computer and player's 4 cards assigned like "♠10 = 3th", and I explained that in figure.

Fig 2 Card Value System



10th Cards Problem: In my other project a lot of errors appeared because of 10th cards.

found a solution which is shown in the figure. That assignment gives me a chance to write less if-else statements, because thanks to this assignment of cards, I could use the same codes for 10th and other cards.

- YELLOW: Used for <u>pointCounterComputer</u>, <u>pointCounterPlayer</u>, <u>controlCard</u>.
- **RED:** <u>isThereCardSelected functions.</u>

PlayCards Function

```
public void playCards() {

// ♠18 = 2th
//for 4 times play this
//show the middle cards
//show the players cards
//show the players cards
//take input from player
//control the input
//control is there card in player card
//find the last element of middleCollectedCard
//send the card to the middleCollectedCard
//card[i]=null
//check the points
//computer play card
//computer[i]=null
//check point
//check point
//check point
```

Playcards function is the center of the game process. Till here, I prepared the games requirements for playing *PiŞTi*. In this method I called other functions in order and managed the data transfer. In the figure above you can see this function's *pseudocode*, It explains the game process step by step. Lastly, you will see lines ,which are interested with function, above the functions according to functions missions.

Show the Cards of player and middle

In this part I wrote 2 loops to show the middle last card and player 4 cards. *First loop* was written to show the *middleCollectedCard's* <u>last</u> element's first 3 char values. I scanned all elements of the array from end to start, if it finds a value which is different from null, prints it to the screen. After that, it breaks the loop. *Second loop* was written to show the player's 4 cards.

(NOTE: While we were playing the game, computer and player cards were sent to the middleCollectedCard. The player and computer card's values format is *like this* "€10 = 3th". so, I should show just 3 char values from the 0th index, when I wanted to show cards symbol and numbers.)

ERROR: When a player played his/her cards I should delete them: To solve this problem I added an if statement which controls the player4Card's element's values. If its values equal null, it won't write the element of player4Card.

Take Input From User and Control It

```
//take input from player
//control the input
int playerInput = controlCard();
```

The ControlCard function was written to take input from the user and control it. If input can not be used to play the cards, the function should take new input from the user.

let's dive in controlCard function:

- First of all I defined a scanner to take input from the user.
- Short information about what he/she should do.
- Integer defined, but I didn't give any value to it. Its value will be defined by the player.
- Take input which <u>symbolizes the card's order number</u> // input can be (0,1,2,3).
- Players can enter wrong input, so code should catch this mistake and give feedback
 to the player about what is the problem. I used *try-catch* for giving feedback to
 players if there is any problem.
- I put an if statement which checks 2 important features of input. The If statement checks the input type. If the input type is not suitable to use, catch's part's code will execute and call the *controlCard()* function again *(recursion)*. If the input type is

- suitable to use, the second parameter is controlled by the if statement. If input is not in the [0,4) interval, the If statement calls *controlCard()* function again for taking new input from the player.
- When the input had suitable features to use, the second if statement controlled the
 player cards. If there are no cards which have the same order number with input,
 code call the *controlCard()* again, and give feedback about this situation. The
 Player4Card array scans with *isThereCardSelected(takenInput)*

Before continuing to explain other codes, the *isThereCardSelected(takenInput)'s* turns came to it.

isThereCardSelected(takenInput):

I wrote this function to control the input which was taken from the user. If input is not in the player4Deck array, it will return false.

ERROR: If there is no card which has the same order number with Input in player4Card array, int lengthOfElementSelected and selectedCard can not be found. That creates the error, and stops the program. To prevent it, I wrote try-catch.

How to code works:

To determine the checked sequence number, I must first find the length of the String variable. Then, 3 minus of the number value found will give the sequence number of the card to be discarded. Afterwards, the 3rd-last values of all Player4Card's cards are compared with the rank values of the checked card. It is expected to be the same, otherwise the function returns false.

Lastly, *isThereCardSelected* returns true or false to the *controlCard* function. If it returns true that means there is a card which has got the same order with input.

lastElementMiddleColldCardecte Function

```
/*** find the last element of middleCollectedCard

  * this method find the first null element index in array/ I can use directly for declare something*/
int lastElementOfMiddleCollectedCardArray = lastElementMiddleCollectedCard();
```

```
6 usages
public int lastElementMiddleCollectedCard() {
   int counter = 0;
   for (int i = 0; middleCollectedCard[i] != null; i++) {
        counter++;
   }
   return counter;
}
```

This function is used to find the *middleCollectedCard* array's last elements index which is different from null. I used this method many times in other functions. I have to find the last null index's number which is in the middleCollectedCard, because the selected card will be sent to the middleCollectedCard.Lastly, that function returns int value and this value stored in *lastElementOfMiddleCollectedCard*.

PointCounterPlayer Function

```
/*** send the card to the middleCollectedCard
   * card[i]=null*/
middleCollectedCard[lastElementOfMiddleCollectedCardArray] = player4Card[playerInput];
player4Card[playerInput] = null;

//check the points player
if (lastElementMiddleCollectedCard() >= 2) {
   pointCounterPlayer();
}
```

Before calling this function, player4Card's selectedIndex is sent to the middleCollectedCard's *lastElementOfMiddleCollectedCardCard*. Then to protect the number of cards, I assigned player4Card's selectedIndex to the null.

This function is controlling the middleCollectedCard last 2 elements card's values. If they are equal to each other, the player gains points. Also this function controls PİŞTİ. It controls the PISTI situation with <code>lastElementOfMiddleCollectedCardCard</code> function. If it returns 2 that means there are just 2 elements in midleCollectedCard. Also if <code>lastElementOfMiddleCollectedCardCard</code> doesn't return 2, and last 2 elements order

numbers equal to each other, that means this situation is not PISTI but the player will collect middleCollectedCard.

PointCounterComputer Function

It works the same with the PointCounterPlayer function. I just changed playerScore to computerScore

ERROR: For these 2 functions, I had to write an if statement which controls the middleCollectedCard elements number which is different from null. I controlled the last 2 card's values in these methods. If there are not 2 cards in middleCollectedCard, that leads to an error .I solved this problem by adding an if statement.

ComputerPlayCard Function

As you predicted, I wrote this function to declare how the computer will play. You see two if statements. In the first statement which is above, the computer looks at the *middleCardsArray* last card's values and *compares this card's values with computer4Cards cards values*. If the computer finds the card which has the same value, it will play this card first. else the computer executes the second if statement. In this method the computer plays a card regularly.

```
ERROR: middleCollectedCard[lastElementMiddleCollectedCardAfterPlayer - 1]
```

This line created a problem when I collected all the cards. Because if there is no card lastElementMiddleCollectedCardAfterPlayer will be equal to 0 then code makes -1. At the end of this codes looks for *middleColelctedCard[-1]* element and that creates error. I added if statement to prevent this error.

ERROR: I had to create a system to prevent executing these if statements. For do that, I addedcontrolledWhichOneExecute boolean variable to control it. If the first one executes, the second will not because the boolean variable changes TRUE, if the first one does not execute, the second will execute.

JOKER Extension

I have just added *one more condition to the if statement* which searches for "J" cards. If there is, the computer plays the J card first. There is a *hierarchy*. The computer first looks for cards which have the same value with last card in the middle.

```
}else if(middleCollectedCard[lastElementIndex - 1].substring(1,3).equals("J ") && middleCollectedCard[lastElementIndex - 1].length()==8){
    for (int i = 0; middleCollectedCard[i] != null; i++) {
        int point = cardValueList(middleCollectedCard[i]);
        playerScore = playerScore + point;
        middleCollectedCard[i] = null;
    }
    whoWinLast = "P";
    System.err.println("player point: " + playerScore);
}
```

(calculation the points which gained with Joker Card -Player-)

```
System.err.println("PISTI computer point: " + computerScore);

}else if(middleCollectedCard[lastElementIndex - 1].substring(1,3).equals("J ") && middleCollectedCard[lastElementIndex - 1].length()==8){
    for (int i = 0; middleCollectedCard[i] != null; i++) {
        int point = cardValueList(middleCollectedCard[i]);
        computerScore = computerScore + point;
        middleCollectedCard[i] = null;
    }
    whoWinlast = "C";
    System.err.println("computer point: " + computerScore);
}
```

(calculation the points which gained with Joker Card -Computer-)

ScoreList Class

I will explain step by step to this class first, then I will mention every step of the code shortly.

- Take playerScore from main with constructor
- Declare 2D array [11][2]
- Read text file data
- Store data in 2D array
- Arrange array to highest point to lowest point
- Clear text file
- Write new arranged array first 10 elements

Take playerScore from main with constructor

```
public class ScoreList {
    2 usages
    private int playerScore;
    1 usage
    public ScoreList(int pScore) { playerScore = pScore; }
```

Constructed provides a chance to taking playerScore from main.

Declare 2D array [11][2] and take name()

```
public void scoreList(){

   // copy old list values from txt file
   String[][] listPlayerNamePoint = new String[11][2];

   String playerName = name(); // there was a problem to take name

   listPlayerNamePoint[10][0]=playerName;
   listPlayerNamePoint[10][1]=Integer.toString(playerScore);
```

I had declared the 2D array which size is [11][2]. 11 is a key point, because it provides me with an easy solution to sorting bigger to smaller. At that time also I added player name and score to this array's last indexes.

ERROR: I used the name function to take the user's name, because some problem exists because of the Scanner. To solve it, I decided to write a function for taking the player's name.

Read text file and store data in 2D array

```
int counterExecution=8;

while (reader.hasNextLine()){
   String[] oldListValues = reader.nextLine().split(regex " ");
   if (counterExecution<=10){
        for (int index = 0; index<2; index++){
        if (listPlayerNamePoint[counterExecution][0]==null && listPlayerNamePoint[counterExecution][1]==null){
            listPlayerNamePoint[counterExecution][0]=Integer.toString( # 0);
            listPlayerNamePoint[counterExecution][1]=Integer.toString( # 0);
        }
        listPlayerNamePoint[counterExecution][index]=oldListValues[index];
   }
}

counterExecution++;
}

platfor(IOException e){
   e.printStackTrace(); // for see error's detail
}

Pfinally {
   if (reader!=null){
        reader.close();
   }
}
}
</pre>
```

As you see, I read the text file with the reader and sell data to the array. I split each line with (" ") . The first one is the name, the second one is the score. If statement is added to prevent errors, because null leads to a problem. Instead of null I added 0 in this part.

Arrange array to highest point to lowest point

```
for (int i = 0; i<11; i++){
    for (int j = 0; j<11; j++){
        if (listPlayerNamePoint[i][1]!=null && listPlayerNamePoint[j][1]!=null){

        int a=Integer.parseInt(listPlayerNamePoint[i][1]);
        int b=Integer.parseInt(listPlayerNamePoint[j][1]);

        String a2 = listPlayerNamePoint[i][0];

        String b2 = listPlayerNamePoint[j][0];

        if (a>b){
            String placeHolder= Integer.toString(a);
            String placeHolder2= a2;

            listPlayerNamePoint[i][1]=listPlayerNamePoint[j][1];
            listPlayerNamePoint[j][1]=placeHolder;

            listPlayerNamePoint[j][0]=listPlayerNamePoint[j][0];
            listPlayerNamePoint[j][0]=placeHolder2;
        }
    }
}
```

I sorted scores bigger to smaller then I sorted names according to scores.

Clear text file

```
public static void printTxt(String[][] listInOrder){

Formatter f = null;
Formatter deleteAllText = null;
FileWriter fw = null;

try {
    fw = new FileWriter ( fileName: "people.txt" , append: true);
    f = new Formatter (fw);
    deleteAllText = new Formatter( fileName: "people.txt");

    deleteAllText. format(" ");
```

I defined a format, formatter and one more formatter to delete all text file. I used a formatter which wrote to delete text file.

Write new arranged array first 10 elements

```
for (int i =0; i<10;i++){
    if (listInOrder[i][0]==null && listInOrder[i][1]==null){
        listInOrder[i][0]=Integer.toString( E 0);

        listInOrder[i][1]=Integer.toString( E 0);

    }
    f. format("%s %s\n",listInOrder[i][0],listInOrder[i][1]);
}

fw. close();
} catch (Exception e) {
    System.err.println("Something went wrong." );
} finally {
    if (f != null) {
        f. close();
    }
}
}
}</pre>
```

In that place I print a new sorted array to the text file.

ERROR: I mentioned about null problem, but one more problem and that is the empty place. If the people.txt file is empty, that leads to a problem. To prevent this error I edited the people.txt file for the first execution.

- 0 0
- 0 0
- 0 0
- 0 0
- 0 0
- 0 0
- 0 0
- 0 0

0 0

0 0

ERROR: If a player enters more than one name that situation leads to an error, so split Input and use the 0th index of taken Input from the user. (ScoreList class -> name() You can see split step of taken input)

Main Class

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Cards Eard = new Cards();
    String[] mixedCards = Card.mix52Cards();
    Mechanics Game = new Mechanics(mixedCards);

    // game process
    for (int index = 0; index < 6; index++) {
        Game.preparationGame(); //
        Game.playCards();}
    Game.lastCardsCollectedByWinner();

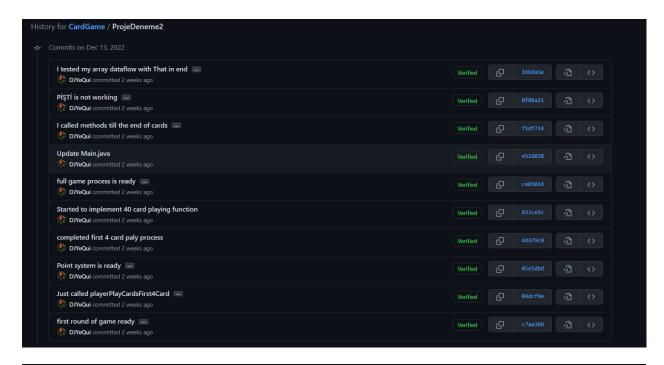
    //data which created after game process
    int playerScore = Game.getPlayScore();
    int computerScore = Game.getComputerScore();
    ScoreList scoreList = new ScoreList(playerScore);

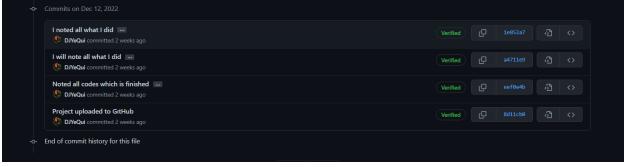
    //who win
    if(playerScore>computerScore){System.err.println("winner player");}
    else if(playerScorecomputerScore){System.err.println("winner computer");}
    else (System.err.println("there is no winner");}

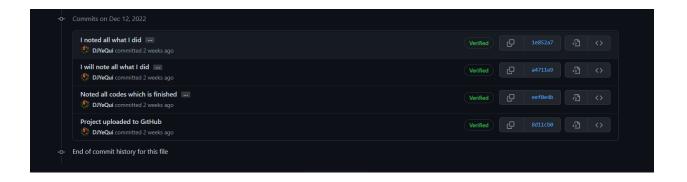
    //score list
    scoreList.scoreList();
}
```

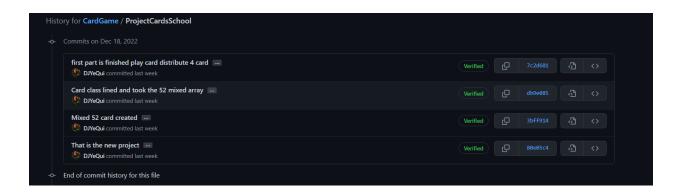
I added the main class at the end of the code explanation, because It gives you a bird's eye view.

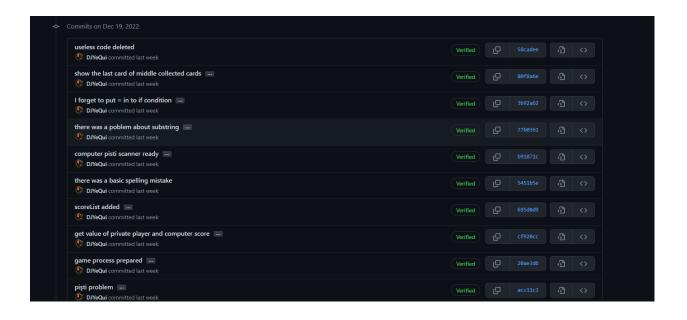
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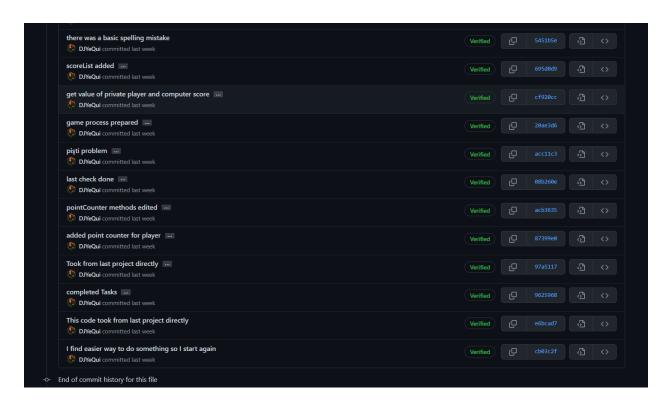


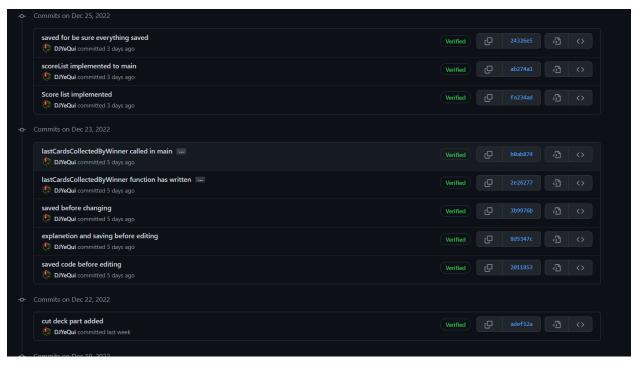


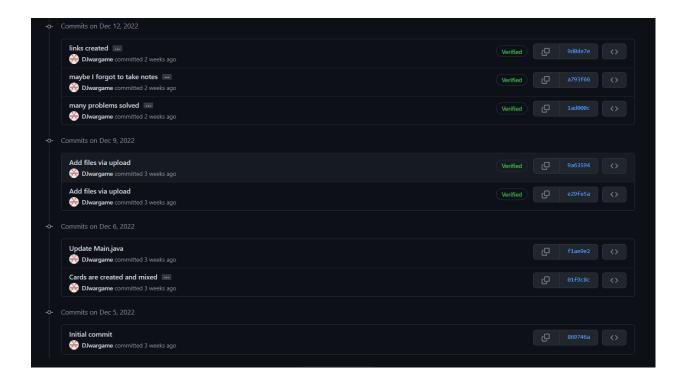












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HARDEST ERROR I HAVE FACED

Found but unsolved error: If you make 2 Input mistakes (type and interval) in row, next try will give you error **regardless of what the value is**. If you enter the **usable value** on the 4th try, you will not see an error.

That happened because of recursion. Instead of recursion I used an **infinity loop** and I solved the problem.

Solution

(infinity loop solution)

```
public int controlCard() {
    Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
    System.out.println("Pls enter cards order number which is written next to the card");
    int takenInput;

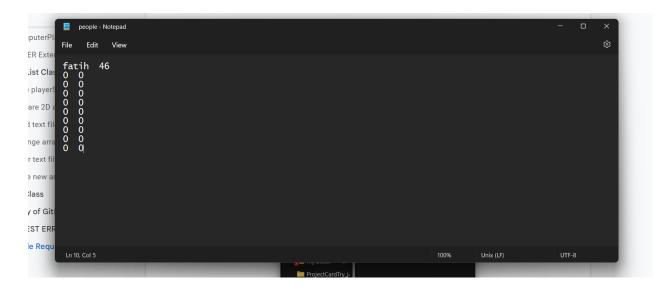
    //input type and interval control
    try {
        takenInput = sc.nextInt();
        if (takenInput >= 4 || takenInput < 0) {
            System.out.println("input have to be in [0,4) interval");
            controlCard();
        }
    } catch (Exception e) {
        System.out.println("this input can not use");
        return controlCard();
    }

    // is there a card in player cards
    if (isThereCardSelectedCtakenInput) == true) {
        return takenInput;
    } else {
        return controlCard();
    }
}</pre>
```

(Old code which leads to error)

JAR File Requirement

java file needs to a txt file which has got this template



- put the double space between name and score
- pls take care to don't put space to beginning of line
- pls open people.txt file before execute the jar file
- If you forget to open people.txt file before finishing the game and also if yo winn it will write 20 zeros in people.txt file.