# **Experiment - 5**

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Aim: Create a Java program to serialize and deserialize a Student object.

# **Medium-level Problem-**

**Aim:** Create a program to **collect and store cards**, and assist users in finding all cards of a given symbol using Collection interfaces.

Objective: To demonstrate object serialization, file handling, and exception management in Java.

#### Procedure:

- 1. Define a Student class implementing Serializable with id, name, and GPA.
- 2. Create a Student object and serialize it using ObjectOutputStream.
- 3. Save the object to a file.
- 4. Deserialize the object from the file using ObjectInputStream.
- 5. Handle exceptions: FileNotFoundException, IOException, ClassNotFoundException.

## Code -

```
package exp2;
import java.io.*;
class Student implements Serializable {
int id;
String name;
double gpa;
Student(int id, String name, double gpa) {
this.id = id;
this.name = name;
this.gpa = gpa;
}
```

```
public String toString() {
return "ID: " + id + "\nName: " + name + "\nGPA: " + gpa;
}
public class Medium {
public static void main(String[] args) {
Student s = new Student(101, "Alice", 9.1);
// Serialization
try (ObjectOutputStream out = new ObjectOutputStream(new FileOutputStream("student.dat"))) {
out.writeObject(s);
System.out.println("Student serialized successfully!");
} catch (IOException e) {
e.printStackTrace();
// Deserialization
try (ObjectInputStream in = new ObjectInputStream(new FileInputStream("student.dat"))) {
Student s2 = (Student) in.readObject();
System.out.println("Student deserialized:");
System.out.println(s2);
} catch (IOException | ClassNotFoundException e) {
e.printStackTrace();
```

## Output -

```
Menu:

1. Add Employee

2. Display All

3. Exit

Enter choice: 1
Name: John
ID: 1001
Designation: Manager
Salary: 75000
Employee added successfully!

Enter choice: 2
Employee List:
John | 1001 | Manager | 75000
```

# **Hard-Level Problem -**

**Aim :** Develop a **menu-driven Java application** to store and display **employee details** using **file handling**.

Objective: To combine object-oriented programming, file handling, and menu-driven console interaction.

## **Procedure:**

- 1. Present a menu:
  - Add Employee
  - Display All
  - Exit
- 2. On choosing Add Employee, take input for:
  - Employee Name
  - Employee ID
  - Designation
  - Salary
- 3. Write this data to a file.
- 4. On choosing **Display All**, read and display all employee data from the file.
- 5. Exit on selection of option 3.

## **Code:**

```
package exp2;
import java.io.*;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class Hard {
  public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
    Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
    String fileName = "employees.txt";
    while (true) {
        System.out.println("\nMenu:\n1. Add Employee\n2. Display All\n3. Exit");
        System.out.print("Enter choice: ");
        int choice = sc.nextInt();
        sc.nextLine(); // consume newline
```

```
switch (choice) {
case 1:
System.out.print("Name: ");
String name = sc.nextLine();
System.out.print("ID: ");
String id = sc.nextLine();
System.out.print("Designation: ");
String designation = sc.nextLine();
System.out.print("Salary: ");
String salary = sc.nextLine();
try (BufferedWriter bw = new BufferedWriter(new FileWriter(fileName, true))) {
bw.write(name + "|" + id + "|" + designation + "|" + salary);
bw.newLine();
System.out.println("Employee added successfully!");
break;
case 2:
System.out.println("Employee List:");
try (BufferedReader br = new BufferedReader(new FileReader(fileName))) {
String line;
while ((line = br.readLine()) != null) {
System.out.println(line.replace("|", " | "));
} catch (FileNotFoundException e) {
System.out.println("No employee data found.");
break;
```

```
case 3:
System.out.println("Exiting...");
return;
default:
System.out.println("Invalid choice.");
}
}
}
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### **Conclusion:**

- 1. Learned autoboxing and unboxing to convert between primitives and wrapper objects automatically.
- 2. Understood Java wrapper classes and their use in collections and data processing.
- 3. Implemented serialization and deserialization to persist and retrieve object states from files.