# Java

From code in Sublime Text to make it run:

- 1. Create a class
  - a. Public (Modifier) class (*Name of the class*) {}
- 2. Create a Method
  - a. Static

```
public static void main(){}
main() = method
```

b. Dynamic

Code missing

## **Basics**

### **Methods:**

(block of code which only runs when called. Can pass data, parameters, into it. Used to perform certain actions, aka **functions**.)

- Must be declared within a class, defined by *methodName* followed by ()
  - public class className
    static void methodName() {
     code
    }
    - static = method belong to *className* class and not object of it
      - Can access without creating an object of the class
    - void = method does not have a return value

#### **Parameters**

- Acts as variables inside a method
- Are specified after the method name inside parenthesis
- Can add as many as possible, just separate with comma (",")

#### Return

- Use a *primitiveDataType* instead of *void*
- Use *return* inside Method
  - static variableType methodName (variableType variableName) {
     return number + variableName;
    }

## **Comments:**

- Short comment (only 1 line): //
- Long comment (more than 1 line): /\* ... \*/

## Variables (must all be identified with unique names $\rightarrow$ Identifier):

- string: stores texts. Texts must be in double quotation marks ("")
- int: stores integers. From  $2^{-31}$  bits to  $2^{31} 1$  bit.
  - It is possible to create more than 1 variable: use "," to separate them
- float: stores floating-point numbers, with decimals (1.99 or -1.99)
- char: stores single characters. In single quotation marks (' ')
- boolean: stores values with 2 states (True or False)

To combine text and variable or variable and variable use "+"

Eg:

String name = "John"

System.out.println("Hi" + name)

# Data Types (variables must be a specified data type):

- Primitive data types: (1 byte = 8 bits)
  - $\circ$  Byte (1 byte: whole numbers from  $-2^7 to 2^7 1$ )
  - Short (2 bytes: whole numbers from  $-2^{15}$  to  $2^{15} 1$ )
  - Int (4 bytes: whole numbers from  $-2^{31}$  to  $2^{31}$  -1)
  - Long (8 bytes: whole numbers from  $-2^{63}$  to  $2^{63} 1$ )
  - Float (4 bytes: fractional numbers, sufficient for 6-7 decimal digits)
  - o Double (8 bytes: fractional numbers, sufficient for 15 decimal digits)
  - Boolean (1 bit: store True & False  $\rightarrow$  0 and 1)
  - Char (2 bytes: single character/letter or ASCII values)
- Non-primitive data types
  - String
  - o Array
  - Classes

#### **Numbers:**

- Integer types
  - o byte
  - short
  - o int (most used)
  - o long (Should end with "L")
- Floating point types (can use E, 10^):
  - o float (should end with "f")
  - o double (most used) (should end with "d")

## **Java Type Casting**

- Widening Casting (automatically)
  - Converting smaller type to larger type size
    - byte -> short -> char -> int -> long -> float -> double
- Narrow Casting (manually)

- o Converting larger type to smaller type size
  - double -> float -> long -> int -> char -> short -> byte
    - (smaller variableName) variableName

#### **Operators**

• Value = Operand (50, 100 etc.)

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- Operation = Operator (+)
  - 5 Groups (Operators):
    - Arithmetic operators
      - + Addition
        - o Adds 2 values
      - - Subtraction
        - o Subtracts 1 value from other
      - \* Multiplication
        - Multiplies 2 values
      - / Division
        - o Divide 1 value from another
      - % Modulus
        - Returns the division remainder
      - ++ Increment (++x = x+1)
        - Increases the value of a variable by 1
          - $\blacksquare$   $x++v_S++x$ 
            - x++= number increase <u>after</u> another operation
            - ++x = number increase **before** another operation
      - -- Decrement (--x = x-1)
        - Decreases the value of a variable by 1
          - x--= number decrease <u>after</u> another operation
          - --x = number decrease **before** another operation
    - Assignment operators
      - =
      - +=
      - -=
      - \*=
      - /=
      - %=
      - &=
      - |=
      - ^=
      - >>=
        - Far greater than
      - <<=
- Far less than
- Comparison operators
  - == Equal to

- != Not equal
- > Greater than
- < Less than
- >= Greater than or equal to
- <= Less than or equal to
- Logical operators
  - && Logical and
    - o True if both statement are true
  - || Logical or
    - True if one of statements is true
  - ! Logical not
    - o Reverse the result, false if result is true
- Bitwise operators

## **Operator Precedence**

- 1. ! ++ --
- 2. \* / %
- 3. + -
- 4. <> <= >=
- 5. == !=
- 6. &&
- 7. ||
- 8. = += -= \*= /= %=

#### **Booleans**

- Values (declared with *boolean*)
  - o True
  - o False
- Expression
  - Returns a boolean value (True/False)
  - Use Comparison Operators

# **Escape Sequence**

- \" = double quote

### **Control Structure**

• switch Mechanism by which you make statement of a program run in a nonsequential order.

#### 2 types:

- Decision making (based on truth value decide which path to follow)
  - o if (execute a block of code, if true)
    - if (boolean expression)

```
statement
                Statement will be executed only if the boolean expression is true
else (execute a block of code, if condition false)
        if (boolean expression)
          statement
        else
          statement
             • If boolean expression is true, the statement following it is executed
               If boolean expression is false, statement after else is executed
else if (specify a new condition to test, if 1st condition false)
        if (boolean expression)
          statement
         } else if (boolean expression)
          statement
                Short Hand
                     o variable = (condition)? expressionTrue : expressionFalse;
Switch (specify many alternative blocks of code to be executed)
        switch(boolean expression) {
        case x:
          statement
          break;
        case y:
          statement
          break;
        default:
                statement
        Is evaluated once
        Value of Boolean expression is compared with the value of each case
```

# • If there is a match, associated block of code is executed

• Break and default are optional

## Break

- Stop execution of more code in case testing inside block
- $\bullet$   $\rightarrow$  no more testing

#### **Default**

• Run a code if there is no case match

# Loop (Block of code executed as a specified condition is reached)

```
While (loops as long as condition is true)
     o while (condition) {
          statement
        Do/While (Variant of while, execute code once, before checking if condition is
                 do {
             statement
                 while (condition);
For (know the quantity of loop)
        for (statement 1; statement 2; statement 3) {
          statement
     • For-Each (exclusively to loop through elements in an array)
                for (variableType : arrayName) {
                  statement
                       variableType[] cars = {variable};
                         for (String i : cars) {
                          System.out.println(i);
                         }
                               Output = all elements in Array car
```

Iteration

# Continue (breaks one iteration, if a specified condition occurs and continues in the next iteration)

```
for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
    If (i == 4) {
        Continue;
    }
    System.out.println(i);
}</pre>
```

## Break/Continue in While loop

```
    int = 0;
    while (i < 10) {</li>
    System.out.println(i);
    i++;
    if (i == 4) {
    break/continue;
```

```
}
```

# Arrays (used to store multiple values in a single variable to declare use "[]")

- variableType[] variableName = {String}
- variableType[] variableName = {Integers}

#### Access Elements of Array (access by referring to the index number)

**Note: Index starts with 0 (1st elements)** 

variableType variableName = {String}
 System.out.println{variableName[indexNumber]};

## **Change Array Element (refer to index number)**

• variableName[indexNumber] = newString/Integer

## Array Length (how many elements an array has by using length property)

variableType[] variableName = {variable};System.out.println(variable.length);

#### Loop through Array

- For
- o variableType[] variableName = {variable};
  for (int i = 0; i < variable.length; i++) {
   System.out.println(variable[i]);
  }</pre>

## Loop through Array with For-Each

- Already mentioned
- Comparison between for and for-each
  - For each is easier to write, not require counter and more readable

# Multidimensional Arrays (Array containing one or more Arrays, to create: add array in its own [])

• variableType[][] variableName = { {variable}, {variable} };

## **Exceptions**

- **try** (block of code to be tested for errors while executed)
- catch (block of code to be executed, if error occurs in the try block)

```
ctry {
    statement
}
catch (Exception e) {
    statement
}
```

```
• finally (execute code after try... catch, regardless of result)
```

```
o try {
    statement
}
catch (Exception e) {
    statement
}
finally {
    statement
}
```

- **throw** (allow to create custom error)
  - Used together with an **exception type:** 
    - ArithmeticException
    - FileNotFoundException
    - ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException
    - SecurityException
    - **.** . . .
  - o throw **new** ExceptionType("...")

# **Java Object-Oriented Programming**

- OOP = faster and easier to execute
- OOP  $\rightarrow$  clear structure for programs
- OOP → keep Java code DRY (Don't Repeat Yourself) and easier to maintain, modify and debug
- $\bullet$  OOP  $\rightarrow$  full reusable application with less code and less development time

# **Class vs Objects**

- Class = template for object
- Object = instance of a class

To create an object:

- className objectName = new className();
  - The created object belongs to that following *className*()
- Can create multiple objects in class

# **Multiple classes**

• Used for better organization (but in the same directory → relate it)

- o 1 class hold all the attributes and methods
- Other class holds main() method

# **Multiple Objects**

• With multiple objects, you can change value of 1 object without affecting the other one

## **Class Attributes (or fields)**

- Can specify as many as possible
- Attributes are variables inside a Class (eg. x = 5)
  - o Access
    - objectName.variable
  - Modify (also override)
    - *objectName.variable* = new assigned value
    - If don't want to override the existing value
      - final variableName
        - o final is useful when you want to always store the same value
        - o Final is also called **modifier**

## Class Method

### **Static vs Non-Static**

- Static = can be accessed without creating an object of the class
  - Can use *methodName()*;
- Public = can be accessed only by the objects
  - Can only use *objName.methodName()*;

## Access Methods with an Object

- Create object that addresses a class
- Can access other class if in a directory

## **Constructors (or Methods)**

- Special method used to initialize objects
- Called when an object of a class is created

#### **Parameters**

- Constructors can also take parameters → initialize attributes
- Can add as many parameters as you want

## **Modifiers**

- public = access modifier → used to set access level for classes, attributes, methods and constructors
- 2 groups
  - o Access Modifier Control access level
  - o Non-Access Modifiers do not control level, but provide other functionality

#### **Access Modifiers**

For classes can use either public or default.

- **public**: class accessible by any other class
- **default**: class only accessible by classes in the same package. Used when you don't specify a modifier.

#### For **attributes**, **methods**, and **constructors** can use:

- **public**: code accessible for all classes
- private: code only accessible within the declared class
- **default**: code only accessible in the same package. Used when you don't specify a modifier.
- protected: code accessible in the same package and subclasses.

	default	private	protected	public
Same Class	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Same package subclass	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Same package non- subclass	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Different package subclass	No	No	Yes	Yes
Different package non- subclass	No	No	No	Yes

#### **Non-Access Modifiers**

For **classes**, can use either **final** or **abstract**:

- **final**: class cannot be inherited by other classes
- abstract: cannot be used to create objects. To access, it must be inherited from another class.

#### For attributes and methods can use:

- final: attributes and methods cannot be modified
- **static**: attributes and methods belongs to the class (not an object)
- abstract: can be used only in an abstract class, and can be used only on methods
  - Method doesn't have a body (body provided by subclass)
    - **extends** is used to create a Subclass (inherit abstract class)

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- transient: attributes and methods are skipped when serializing the object containing them
- **synchronized**: methods can be accessed only one thread at a time
- volatile: value of an attribute is not cached thread-locally, always read from "main memory"

# **Encapsulation**

- Make sure that "sensitive data is hidden from the user.
  - o Declare class **private**
  - o Provide public **get** and **set** methods
    - **get** returns the variable value
      - myObj.getclassName();
    - **set** sets the value
      - myObj.set*className*("");
    - this = used to refer to current object

## Why Encapsulation?

- Better control of class attributes and methods
- Class attributes can be made **read-only** (if only use **get** method), or **write-only** (if only use **set** method)
- Flexible: can change part of program without affecting other parts
- Increase security of data.

## **Packages**

Group of related classes, folder in a file directory.

- 2 categories
  - o Built-in Packages (from Java API)
    - Java API is a library of prewritten classes (Free to use, including JDE).
      - Divided into (to use a class, use **import**):
        - Packages
          - import *package.name.*\*;
        - Classes
          - import *package.name*.Class;
  - User-defined Packages (own packages)
    - To create, use package
      - package *packageName*; (*packageName* in lower in order to avoid conflict with other classes)
    - Compile package
      - javac -d . className.java;
        - $\circ$  -d = specify destination
          - Use any directory name
          - . = keep package within same directory
    - Run package
      - java packageName.className;

# Inheritance (inherit attributes and methods from another class)

Use extends to inherit from a class

#### **Subclass**

• Class that inherits from another class

## **Superclass**

• Class being inherited from

Use **final** to avoid other classes to inherit from a class

# **Polymorphism**

Many classes that are related to each other by inheritance

• Example:

class Animal {

```
public void animalSound() {
System.out.println("The animal makes a sound");
}
}
class Pig extends Animal {
public void animalSound() {
System.out.println("The pig says: wee wee");
}
}
class Dog extends Animal {
public void animalSound() {
System.out.println("The dog says: bow wow");
}
}
class MyMainClass {
public static void main(String[] args) {
   Animal myAnimal = new Animal(); // Create a Animal
object
Animal myPig = new Pig(); // Create a Pig object
Animal myDog = new Dog(); // Create a Dog object
myAnimal.animalSound();
myPig.animalSound();
myDog.animalSound();
}
}
```

#### Why and When use Inheritance and Polymorphism:

• For reusability: reuse attributes and methods of an existing class when creating new class.

### **Inner Classes**

- It is possible to nest classes → group classes that belong together
  - o Code more readable & maintainable

#### **Access Inner class from Outer Class**

• To access inner class, create an object of the outer class + create an object of inner class.

```
class OuterClass {
  int x = 10;

  class InnerClass {
    int y = 5;
  }
}
```

```
public class MyMainClass {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    OuterClass myOuter = new OuterClass();
    OuterClass.InnerClass myInner = myOuter.new InnerClass();
    System.out.println(myInner.y + myOuter.x);
  }
}
```

#### **Private Inner Class**

- Inner class can be **private** or **protected** (unlike regular class). If don't want outside objects to access the inner class, declare class as **private**.
  - When the object of outside class accesses the inner class, error will occur.

#### **Static Inner Class**

- Inner class can be **static**, access it without creating an object of the outer class.
  - OuterClass.InnerClass myInner = new OuterClass.InnerClass();

#### **Access Outer Class From Inner Class**

• Inner classes can access attributes and methods of outer classes.

```
class OuterClass {
  int x = 10;

  class InnerClass {
    public int myInnerMethod() {
       return x;
    }
  }
}

public class MyMainClass {
  public static void main(String args[]) {
    OuterClass myOuter = new OuterClass();
    OuterClass.InnerClass myInner = myOuter.new InnerClass();
    System.out.println(myInner.myInnerMethod());
  }
}
```

## **Abstraction**

Hide certain details and show only essential information to user

#### **Abstract Class**

• Restricted class that cannot be used to create objects (must be inherited from another class)

#### **Interface**

• A completely "abstract class" used to relate methods with empty bodies

- Do not have a body
- Can be accessed by using *implements* (instead of *extends*)
- Methods are by default abstract and public
- Attributes are by default **public**, **static** and **final**
- To implement multiple interfaces, separate them with ","

```
// Interface
interface Animal {
public void animalSound(); // interface method (does not have a
public void sleep(); // interface method (does not have a body)
}
// Pig "implements" the Animal interface
class Pig implements Animal {
public void animalSound() {
// The body of animalSound() is provided here
System.out.println("The pig says: wee wee");
public void sleep() {
// The body of sleep() is provided here
System.out.println("Zzz");
}
}
class MyMainClass {
public static void main(String[] args) {
Pig myPig = new Pig(); // Create a Pig object
myPig.animalSound();
myPig.sleep();
}
}
```

## Why Interface?

- achieve security hide certain details & show only the important details of an object
- Cannot have "multiple inheritance"
  - But can have multiple **Interfaces**

## **Abstract Method**

• Can only be used in an abstract class, and it doesn't have a body. Body is provided by the subclass (inherited from).

```
// Abstract class
abstract class Animal {
   // Abstract method (does not have a body)
  public abstract void animalSound();
   // Regular method
  public void sleep() {
```

```
System.out.println("Zzz");
}
}
// Subclass (inherit from Animal)
class Pig extends Animal {
public void animalSound() {
// The body of animalSound() is provided here
System.out.println("The pig says: wee wee");
}
}
class MyMainClass {
public static void main(String[] args) {
Pig myPig = new Pig(); // Create a Pig object
myPig.animalSound();
myPig.sleep();
}
}
```

Enums
<b>User Input</b>
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