RandomPercentage Assignment

Overview

This assignment focuses on using Java's Random class to generate random numbers and format them as percentages using either printf or DecimalFormat.

Learning Objectives

- Understand the difference between seeded and unseeded Random objects
- Generate random double values using nextDouble()
- Format numbers to specific decimal places
- Convert decimal values to percentages
- Use either printf or DecimalFormat for number formatting

Assignment Requirements

Task: Random Percentage Generator

Create a Java program that demonstrates the use of Random objects and number formatting.

Requirements:

1. Create Two Random Objects:

- One Random object without a seed (unseeded)
- One Random object with any seed value (seeded)

2. Generate Random Values:

- Generate random double values from both Random objects
- Use nextDouble() method to get values between 0.0 and 1.0

3. Format as Percentages:

- Format the values to exactly 2 decimal places
- Use either printf format specifier OR DecimalFormat with the correct pattern
- Display with % symbol

4. Output Format:

- Display both unseeded and seeded random values
- Each value should be formatted as below

Example Output

Unseeded Random: 45.67% Seeded Random: 23.45%

Key Concepts

Random Class

- Random() Creates unseeded random number generator
- nextDouble() Returns random double between 0.0 and 1.0

Seeded vs Unseeded Behavior

- Unseeded Random: Produces different values each time program runs
- Seeded Random: Produces same sequence of values each time (deterministic)

Test Cases

The autograder tests the following:

- 1. Program Compilation: Code compiles without errors
- 2. Random Generation: Program generates random values
- 3. Percentage Formatting: Values are displayed as percentages with % symbol
- 4. **Decimal Precision**: Values are formatted to exactly 2 decimal places
- 5. Value Range: Percentages are in valid 0-100% range
- 6. Both Objects Used: Both unseeded and seeded random values are displayed
- 7. Seeded Consistency: Seeded random produces consistent values across runs

Tips

- Seeded random will always produce the same values for the same seed
- · Unseeded random will produce different values each time you run the program

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