Week11

Programming Fundamentals II

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Week 11 **Exception**

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Exception

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Introduction

Exception handling

Exception—an indication of a problem that occurs during a program's execution.

- The name "exception" implies that the problem occurs infrequently.

With exception handling, a program can continue executing (rather than terminating) after dealing with a problem.

- Mission-critical or business-critical computing.
- Robust and fault-tolerant programs (i.e., programs that can deal with problems as they arise and continue executing).

Introduction

Error and Exception

Error

- IO Error
- NoClassDefFoundError
- StackOverflowError

Exception

- AritmaticException
- more ...

Introduction

- `ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException` occurs when an attempt is made to access an element past either end of an array.
- `ClassCastException` occurs when an attempt is made to cast an object that does not have an *is-a* relationship with the type specified in the cast operator.
- A `NullPointerException` occurs when a `null` reference is used where an object is expected.
- Only classes that extend `Throwable` (package `java.lang`) directly or indirectly can be used with exception handling.

Motivation

Lots of error checking in code makes the code harder to understand

- more complex
- more likely that the code will have errors!

Add error checking to the following C code:

```
int a[SIZE];
y = ...
x = (1.0/a[y]) + (2.0/a[y+1]) + (3.0/a[y+2]);
```

Some Error Checking (in C)!

```
    :
if (y >= SIZE)
  printf("Array index %d too big\n", y);
else if (a[y] == 0)
  printf("First denominator is 0\n");

if (y+1 >= SIZE)
  printf("Array index %d too big\n",  y+1);
else if (a[y+1]== 0)
  printf("Second denominator is 0\n");

if (y+2 >= SIZE)
  printf("Array index %d too big\n",  y+2);
else if (a[y+2]== 0)
  printf("Third denominator is 0\n");
    :
```


Some Error in JAVA

```
3  public class Exception01
4  {
5      public static void main(String[] args)
6      {
7          int a = 0;
8
9          int b = 10 / a;
10
11         System.out.println(b);
12     }
13 }
```

```
Exception in thread "main" java.lang.ArithmeticException: / by zero
        at P11_1.Exception01.main(Exception01.java:9)
```


Some Error in JAVA

```
3  public class Exception02
4  {
5      public static void main(String[] args)
6      {
7          try
8          {
9              int a = 0;
10
11             int b = 10 / a;
12
13             System.out.println(b);
14
15         }
16         catch (ArithmeticException e)
17         {
18             System.out.println("Zero invalid denominator");
19         }
20
21     }
22 }
```

```
Zero invalid denominator
```


Try, Catch

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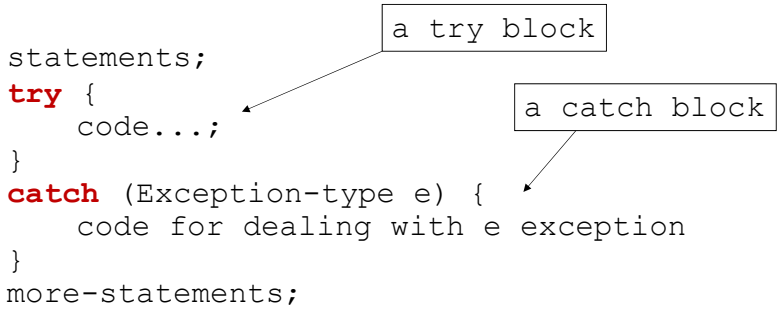
Exception Handling (in outline)

Format of code:



Basic Approach (1/3)

The programmer wraps the error-prone code inside a try block.

If an exception occurs anywhere in the code inside the try block, the catch block is executed immediately

- the block can use information stored in the e object

Basic Approach (2/3)

After the `catch` block (the catch ***handler***) has finished, execution continues after the `catch` block (in `more-statements`).

- execution does **not** return to the `try` block

Basic Approach (3/3)

If the `try` block finishes successfully without causing an exception, then execution skips to the code after the `catch` block

i.e. to `more-statements`

Example: Divide by Zero without Exception Handling

```
1  // Fig. 11.2: DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.java
2  // Integer division without exception handling.
3  import java.util.Scanner;
4
5  public class DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling
6  {
7     // demonstrates throwing an exception when a divide-by-zero occurs
8     public static int quotient(int numerator, int denominator)
9     {
10       return numerator / denominator; // possible division by zero
11    }
12
13    public static void main(String[] args)
14    {
15       Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
```

Fig. 11.2 | Integer division without exception handling. (Part 1 of 3.)


```
16
17       System.out.print("Please enter an integer numerator: ");
18       int numerator = scanner.nextInt();
19       System.out.print("Please enter an integer denominator: ");
20       int denominator = scanner.nextInt();
21
22       int result = quotient(numerator, denominator);
23       System.out.printf(
24          "%nResult: %d / %d = %d%n", numerator, denominator, result);
25    }
26 } // end class DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling
```

```
Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: 7

Result: 100 / 7 = 14
```

Fig. 11.2 | Integer division without exception handling. (Part 2 of 3.)


```
Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: 0
Exception in thread "main" java.lang.ArithmeticException: / by zero
        at DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.quotient(
           DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.java:10)
        at DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.main(
           DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.java:22)
```

```
Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: hello
Exception in thread "main" java.util.InputMismatchException
        at java.util.Scanner.throwFor(Unknown Source)
        at java.util.Scanner.next(Unknown Source)
        at java.util.Scanner.nextInt(Unknown Source)
        at java.util.Scanner.nextInt(Unknown Source)
        at DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.main(
            DivideByZeroNoExceptionHandling.java:20)
```

Fig. 11.2 | Integer division without exception handling. (Part 3 of 3.)

Catching Math Errors

```
int x = 0;
int y;
  :
try
{
     y = 1/x;
      :
}
catch (ArithmeticException e)
{
     System.out.println(e);
     ...;
     y = 0;
}

System.out.println("y is " + y);
```

any Java code is allowed here

Many Catch Blocks

There can be many catch blocks associated with a try block

- the choice of which to use is based on matching the exception object (e) with the argument type of each catch block

- after a catch handler has finished, execution continues after all the handlers

Code Format

```
statements;
try {
  code...;
}
catch (NullPointerException e) {
  code for dealing with a NULL pointer
exception
}
catch (IOException e) {
  code for dealing with an IO exception
}
catch (MyOwnException e) {
  code for dealing with a user-defined
exception
}
more-statements;
```


Example: Handling `ArithmeticExceptions` and `InputMismatchExceptions`

- Prior examples that input numeric values assumed that the user would input a proper integer value.

- Users sometimes make mistakes and input noninteger values.

- An InputMismatchException occurs when Scanner method nextInt receives a String that does not represent a valid integer.

Example: Handling `ArithmeticExceptions` and `InputMismatchExceptions`

- The application in Example exception handling to process any

`ArithmeticExceptions`

and

`InputMistmatchExceptions.`

Example: Handling ArithmeticExceptions and InputMismatchExceptions

try block encloses

- code that might throw an exception
- code that should not execute if an exception occurs.

Consists of the keyword try followed by a block of code enclosed in curly braces.

Example: Handling ArithmeticExceptions and InputMismatchExceptions

```
1  // Fig. 11.3: DivideByZeroWithExceptionHandling.java
2  // Handling ArithmeticExceptions and InputMismatchExceptions.
3  import java.util.InputMismatchException;
4  import java.util.Scanner;
5
6  public class DivideByZeroWithExceptionHandling
7  {
8     // demonstrates throwing an exception when a divide-by-zero occurs
9     public static int quotient(int numerator, int denominator)
10       throws ArithmeticException
11    {
12       return numerator / denominator; // possible division by zero
13    }
14
15    public static void main(String[] args)
16    {
17       Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
18       boolean continueLoop = true; // determines if more input is needed
19
```

Fig. 11.3 | Handling ArithmeticExceptions and InputMismatchExceptions. (Part 1 of 4.)


```
20       do
21       {
22          try // read two numbers and calculate quotient
23          {
24             System.out.print("Please enter an integer numerator: ");
25             int numerator = scanner.nextInt();
26             System.out.print("Please enter an integer denominator: ");
27             int denominator = scanner.nextInt();
28
29             int result = quotient(numerator, denominator);
30             System.out.printf("%nResult: %d / %d = %d%n", numerator,
31                denominator, result);
32             continueLoop = false; // input successful; end looping
33          }
34          catch (InputMismatchException inputMismatchException)
35          {
36             System.err.printf("%nException: %s%n",
37                inputMismatchException);
38             scanner.nextLine(); // discard input so user can try again
39             System.out.printf(
40                "You must enter integers. Please try again.%n%n");
41          }
```

Fig. 11.3 | Handling ArithmeticExceptions and InputMismatchExceptions. (Part 2 of 4.)


```
42          catch (ArithmeticException arithmeticException)
43          {
44             System.err.printf("%nException: %s%n", arithmeticException);
45             System.out.printf(
46                "Zero is an invalid denominator. Please try again.%n%n");
47          }
48       } while (continueLoop);
49    }
50 } // end class DivideByZeroWithExceptionHandling
```

```
Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: 7

Result: 100 / 7 = 14
```

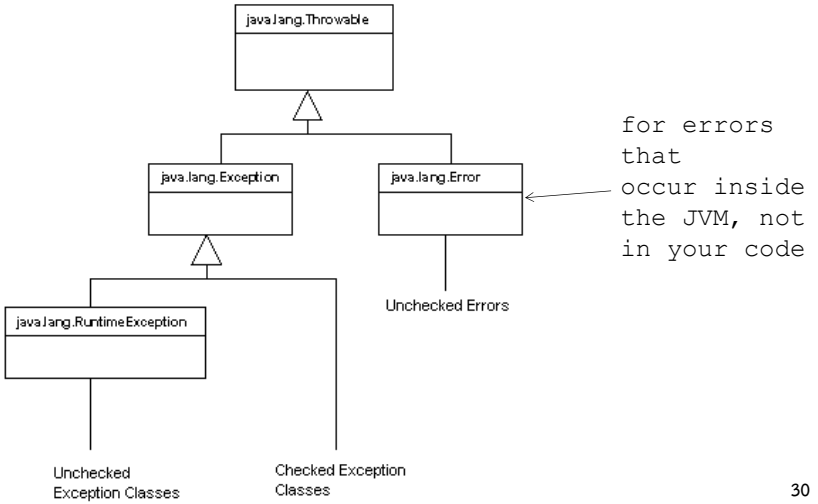
Fig. 11.3 | Handling ArithmeticExceptions and InputMismatchExceptions. (Part 3 of 4.)

```
Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: 0

Exception: java.lang.ArithmeticException: / by zero
Zero is an invalid denominator. Please try again.

Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: 7

Result: 100 / 7 = 14
```

```
Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: hello

Exception: java.util.InputMismatchException
You must enter integers. Please try again.

Please enter an integer numerator: 100
Please enter an integer denominator: 7

Result: 100 / 7 = 14
```

Fig. 11.3 | Handling `ArithmeticException`s and `InputMismatchException`s. (Part 4 of 4.)

4. The Exception Class Hierarchy



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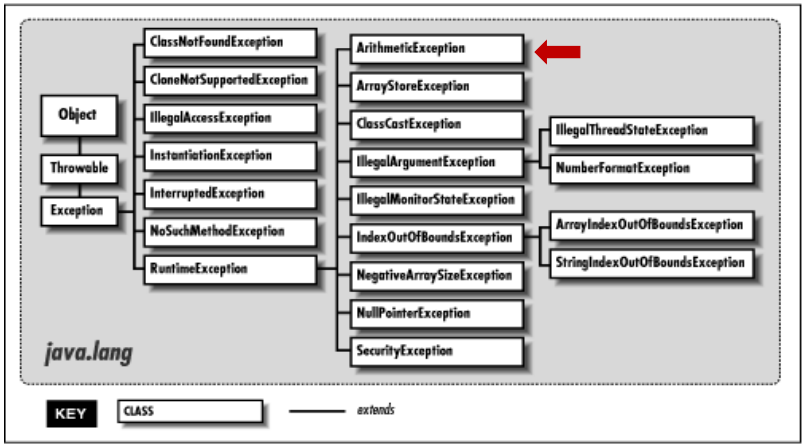

1 Two Exception Categories

1.1 Checked exceptions

- subclasses of Exception
- recovery should be possible for these types of errors
- your code must include try-catch blocks for these or the compiler will reject your program
  e.g. IOException

Text IO (Checked exceptions)

IO can generate lots of exceptions, but usually the program can recover

- e.g. file not found, so look somewhere else

Most IO methods can produce `java.io.IOException`

- a checked exception which your code must handle with try-catch blocks

Text Input From File

Use the `FileReader` class.

Use `BufferedReader` for line-based input:

- open a file
- read from the file
- close the file

Failure at any point results in an `IOException.`

Text Input From File

```
try {
    BufferedReader reader =
        new BufferedReader(new
FileReader("filename"));
    String line = reader.readLine();
    while(line != null) {
        do something with line
        line = reader.readLine();
 }
    reader.close();
}
catch(FileNotFoundException e) {
    // the specified file could not be found
}
catch(IOException e) {
    // something went wrong with reading or closing
}
```


Two Exception Categories

1.2 Unchecked exceptions

- subclasses of RuntimeException
- exceptions of this type usually mean that your program should terminate
- the compiler does not force you to include try-catch blocks for these kinds of exceptions
  e.g. ArithmeticException

Checking Maths (Unchecked exceptions)

```
int x = 0;
int y;
 :
try {
  y = 1/x;
  :
}
catch(ArithmeticException e)
{   ...;
    y = 0;
}

System.out.println("y is " + y);
```


Checking Maths (Unchecked exceptions)

```
int x = 0;
int y;
  :
y = 1/x;
     :

System.out.println("y is " + y);
```

a try-catch block does not need to be included

Throw

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Throwing an Exception

Exceptions are caused (thrown or raised) by the JVM.

Also, the programmer can throw an exception by using:

```
throw e
```

Example

```
private double safeSqrt(double x)
{
  try {
    if (x < 0.0)
   throw new ArithmeticException();
    . . .;
  }
  catch (ArithmeticException e)
  {  x =  0.0; }
   . . . ;
  return sqrt(x);
}
```


Handling Exceptions

Exceptions thrown by a method can be either:

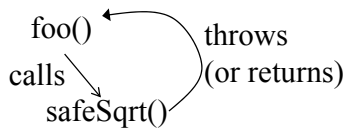
- caught by the method's catch handler(s)
  - we've seen examples already
- or be listed in the method's `throws` declaration

Example

```
double safeSqrt(double x) throws
                    ArithmeticException
{
  if (x < 0.0)
      throw new ArithmeticException();

  . . .;
  return sqrt(x);
}
```


Example




```
void foo(double x)
{
      double result;
      try {
            result = safeSqrt(x);
      }
      catch(ArithmeticException e) {
            System.out.println(e);
            result = -1;
      }

      System.out.println("result: " + result);
}
```

Finally

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Finally Block

- `finally` block will execute whether or not an exception is thrown in the corresponding `try` block.
- `finally` block will execute if a `try` block exits by using `a return, break` or `continue` statement or simply by reaching its closing right brace.
- `finally` block will not execute if the application exits early from a `try` block by calling method *System.exit.*

Example

```
1  // Fig. 11.5: UsingExceptions.java
2  // try...catch...finally exception handling mechanism.
3
4  public class UsingExceptions
5  {
6     public static void main(String[] args)
7     {
8        try
9        {
10          throwException();
11       }
12       catch (Exception exception) // exception thrown by throwException
13       {
14          System.err.println("Exception handled in main");
15       }
16
17       doesNotThrowException();
18    }
19
```

Fig. 11.5 | try...catch...finally exception-handling mechanism. (Part 1 of 4.)


```
20    // demonstrate try...catch...finally
21    public static void throwException() throws Exception
22    {
23       try // throw an exception and immediately catch it
24       {
25          System.out.println("Method throwException");
26          throw new Exception(); // generate exception
27       }
28       catch (Exception exception) // catch exception thrown in try
29       {
30          System.err.println(
31             "Exception handled in method throwException");
32          throw exception; // rethrow for further processing
33
34          // code here would not be reached; would cause compilation errors
35
36       }
37       finally // executes regardless of what occurs in try...catch
38       {
39          System.err.println("Finally executed in throwException");
40       }
41
42       // code here would not be reached; would cause compilation errors
43
44    }
```

Fig. 11.5 | try...catch...finally exception-handling mechanism. (Part 2 of 4.)

```
45
46     // demonstrate finally when no exception occurs
47     public static void doesNotThrowException()
48     {
49        try // try block does not throw an exception
50        {
51           System.out.println("Method doesNotThrowException");
52        }
53        catch (Exception exception) // does not execute
54        {
55           System.err.println(exception);
56        }
57        finally // executes regardless of what occurs in try...catch
58        {
59           System.err.println(
60              "Finally executed in doesNotThrowException");
61        }
62
63        System.out.println("End of method doesNotThrowException");
64     }
65  } // end class UsingExceptions
```

Fig. 11.5 | try...catch...finally exception-handling mechanism. (Part 3 of 4.)


```
Method throwException
Exception handled in method throwException
Finally executed in throwException
Exception handled in main
Method doesNotThrowException
Finally executed in doesNotThrowException
End of method doesNotThrowException
```

Fig. 11.5 | try...catch...finally exception-handling mechanism. (Part 4 of 4.)

Stack Trace

- If no handler is called, then the system prints a **stack trace** as the program terminates
  - it is a list of the called methods that are waiting to return when the exception occurred
  - **very useful** for debugging/testing
- The stack trace can be printed by calling **printStackTrace()**

Using a Stack Trace

```
// The getMessage and printStackTrace methods
public class UsingStackTrace
{
       public static void main( String args[] )
       {
        try{
           method1();
         }
        catch ( Exception e) {
           System.err.println(e.getMessage() + "\n");
           e.printStackTrace();
         }
       }
}// end of main()
```

Using a Stack Trace

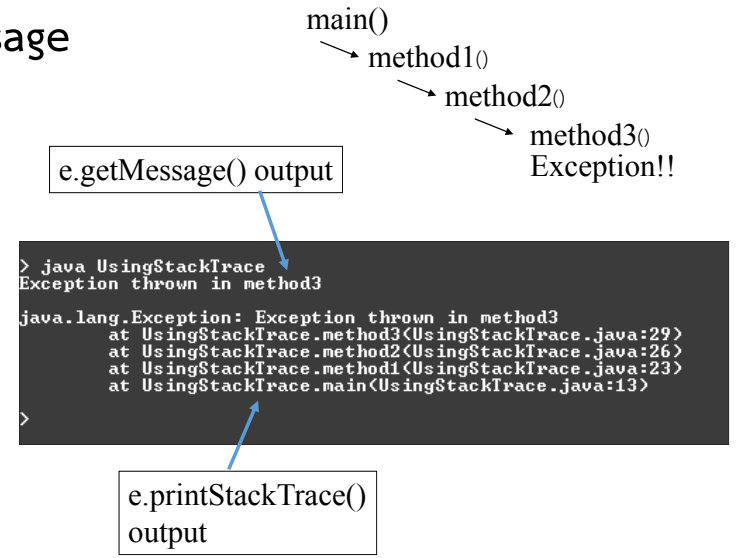
```
public static void method1() throws Exception
   { method2(); }

   public static void method2() throws Exception
   { method3(); }

   public static void method3() throws Exception
   {
      throw new Exception(
                     "Exception thrown in method3" );
   }

} // end of UsingStackTrace class
```


Usage



Stack Unwinding and Obtaining Information from an Exception Object

- `Stack unwinding`—When an exception is thrown but not caught in a particular scope, the method-call stack is "unwound"
- An attempt is made to `catch` the exception in the next outer `try` block.
- All local variables in the unwound method go out of scope and control returns to the statement that originally invoked that method.
- If a `try` block encloses that statement, an attempt is made to `catch` the exception.
- If a `try` block does not enclose that statement or if the exception is not caught, stack unwinding occurs again.

Stack Unwinding and Obtaining Information from an Exception Object

- exception.getMessage ()
- exception.printStackTrace()
- exception.getStackTrace()

Example

```
1  // Fig. 11.6: UsingExceptions.java
2  // Stack unwinding and obtaining data from an exception object.
3
4  public class UsingExceptions
5  {
6     public static void main(String[] args)
7     {
8        try
9        {
10          method1();
11       }
12       catch (Exception exception) // catch exception thrown in method1
13       {
14          System.err.printf("%s%n%n", exception.getMessage());
15          exception.printStackTrace();
16
17          // obtain the stack-trace information
18          StackTraceElement[] traceElements = exception.getStackTrace();
19
20          System.out.printf("%nStack trace from getStackTrace:%n");
21          System.out.println("Class\t\tFile\t\t\tLine\tMethod");
22
```

Fig. 11.6 | Stack unwinding and obtaining data from an exception object. (Part 1 of 4.)


```
23          // loop through traceElements to get exception description
24          for (StackTraceElement element : traceElements)
25          {
26             System.out.printf("%s\t", element.getClassName());
27             System.out.printf("%s\t", element.getFileName());
28             System.out.printf("%s\t", element.getLineNumber());
29             System.out.printf("%s%n", element.getMethodName());
30          }
31       }
32    } // end main
33
34    // call method2; throw exceptions back to main
35    public static void method1() throws Exception
36    {
37       method2();
38    }
39
40    // call method3; throw exceptions back to method1
41    public static void method2() throws Exception
42    {
43       method3();
44    }
```

Fig. 11.6 | Stack unwinding and obtaining data from an exception object. (Part 2 of 4.)


```
45
46    // throw Exception back to method2
47    public static void method3() throws Exception
48    {
49       throw new Exception("Exception thrown in method3");
50    }
51 } // end class UsingExceptions
```

Fig. 11.6 | Stack unwinding and obtaining data from an exception object. (Part 3 of 4.)


```
Exception thrown in method3

java.lang.Exception: Exception thrown in method3
        at UsingExceptions.method3(UsingExceptions.java:49)
        at UsingExceptions.method2(UsingExceptions.java:43)
        at UsingExceptions.method1(UsingExceptions.java:37)
        at UsingExceptions.main(UsingExceptions.java:10)

Stack trace from getStackTrace:
Class           File                Line    Method
UsingExceptions UsingExceptions.java    49      method3
UsingExceptions UsingExceptions.java    43      method2
UsingExceptions UsingExceptions.java    37      method1
UsingExceptions UsingExceptions.java    10      main
```

Fig. 11.6 | Stack unwinding and obtaining data from an exception object. (Part 4 of 4.)

Assertions

- When implementing and debugging a class, it's sometimes useful to state conditions that should be true at a particular point in a method.
- Assertions help ensure a program's validity by catching potential bugs and identifying possible logic errors during development.
- Preconditions and postconditions are two types of assertions.

Assertions

- Java includes two versions of the assert statement for validating assertions programatically.
- `assert` evaluates a `boolean` expression and, if `false`, throws an AssertionError (a subclass of `Error`).

  assert *expression*;
  - throws an `AssertionError` if *expression is* `false`.

  assert *expression1* : *expression2*;
  - evaluates *expression1* and throws an `AssertionError` with *expression2* as the error message if expression1 is `false`.
- Can be used to programmatically implement preconditions and postconditions or to verify any other *intermediate* states that help you ensure your code is working correctly.

Example

```
1  // Fig. 11.8: AssertTest.java
2  // Checking with assert that a value is within range
3  import java.util.Scanner;
4
5  public class AssertTest
6  {
7     public static void main(String[] args)
8     {
9        Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
10
11       System.out.print("Enter a number between 0 and 10: ");
12       int number = input.nextInt();
13
14       // assert that the value is >= 0 and <= 10
15       assert (number >= 0 && number <= 10) : "bad number: " + number;
16
17       System.out.printf("You entered %d%n", number);
18    }
19 } // end class AssertTest
```

```
Enter a number between 0 and 10: 5
You entered 5
```

Fig. 11.8 | Checking with `assert` that a value is within range. (Part 1 of 2.)


```
Enter a number between 0 and 10: 50
Exception in thread "main" java.lang.AssertionError: bad number: 50
        at AssertTest.main(AssertTest.java:15)
```

Fig. 11.8 | Checking with `assert` that a value is within range. (Part 2 of 2.)

END